

Senate bill No. 13, "An act to abolish the unorganized counties of Buchel and Foley, and incorporate their territory in the county of Brewster; to provide for the payment of certain bonds held by the State against said unorganized counties out of funds now on hand to their credit, and for the transfer and payment of the balance of said funds to the proper officers of said Brewster county,"

And find the same correctly enrolled, and have this day, at 3:20 p. m., presented the same to the Governor for his approval.

YETT, Acting Chairman.

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, April 9, 1897.

Hon. Geo. T. Jester, President of the Senate.

Your Judiciary Committee No. 2, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 356, a bill to be entitled "An act to amend chapter 2, title IV, of the Code of Criminal Procedure of the State of Texas,"

Have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass.

STAFFORD, Chairman.

On motion of Senator Colquitt, the Senate took a recess till 10 a. m. tomorrow.

AFTER RECESS.

Senate called to order at 10 a. m.

Lieutenant Governor Jester in the chair.

On motion of Senator Gough, the Senate took a recess until 12 m.

AFTER RECESS.

Senate called to order.

Lieutenant Governor Jester in the chair.

On motion of Senator Gough, the Senate adjourned to 10 a. m. Monday.

SIXTY-NINTH DAY.

Senate Chamber,

Austin, Texas, Monday, April 12.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Lieutenant Governor Jester in the chair.

Roll called. No quorum, the following Senators answering to their names:

Bailey.	Burns.
Beall.	Colquitt.
Bowser.	Dibrell.

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Goss.	Rogers.
Gough.	Ross.
Greer.	Stafford.
Kerr.	Terrell.
Lewis.	Tillett.
Linn of Victoria.	Turney.
Morriss.	Woods.

Absent.

Atlee.	Presler.
Boren.	Stone.
Darwin.	Wayland.
Harrison.	Yantis.
Linn of Wharton.	Yett.
Neal.	

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. F. S. Jackson.

Almighty God: We thank Thee for the Christian Sabbath, with all its benefits and sacred memorials. That it was instituted for our good, joy, and safety, morally, mentally, and physically. We pray Thee, oh God, to impress upon us as we travel the busy walks of life, that unless we observe faithfully, and consciously keep the law of the Sabbath our growth and development as men will be abnormal in mind, body, or heart. We pray Thee to cultivate us in love and obedience that joyfully we may follow the program of life as Thou hast arranged it. Give us grace, wisdom, and strength for our duties and temptations to-day. Let Thy blessings be upon our homes, and Thy love cover our sins. These favors we ask, for Christ's sake. Amen.

Senator Beall moved a call of the Senate for the purpose of securing and maintaining a quorum, which was duly seconded and ordered, the following Senators answering to their names:

Bailey.	Lewis.
Beall.	Linn of Victoria.
Bowser.	Morriss.
Burns.	Rogers.
Colquitt.	Ross.
Dibrell.	Stafford.
Goss.	Terrell.
Gough.	Tillett.
Greer.	Turney.
Kerr.	Woods.

Absent.

Atlee.	Presler.
Boren.	Stone.
Darwin.	Wayland.
Harrison.	Yantis.
Linn of Wharton.	Yett.
Neal.	

No quorum appearing, on motion of Senator Beall the Senate took a recess for thirty minutes.